

WE sold lots of goods last year and we are going to sell more this year and at a closer price. Cotton goods were never cheaper in the United States than they are today. We have a large stock on hand. Note the following prices:

Medium Prints.....	30c per yard
Standard Prints.....	40 " "
Extra Prints.....	50 " "
(Over 2500 yards on sale)	
Fruit of Loom muslin.....	60
Cabot W muslin.....	50
Cabot A muslin.....	50
L.L. muslin.....	40
"Vicugna," best flannel in the market.....	80

**S. E. Young and Son**  
ALBANY, OREGON

**E. O. HYDE, M. D.**  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON  
SCIO, OREGON

**T. J. WILSON,**  
Attorney at Law and Notary Public  
SCIO, OREGON.

WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTWORTHY persons in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work confined at home. Salary straight \$600 a year and expenses—dollar, monthly, up more, no loss salary. Month this \$3. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Herbert K. Hess, Pres., Dept. M., Chicago.

**PURELY PERSONAL**

J. S. Morris was a Portland visitor in Albany this week.  
Mrs. C. A. Warner visited friends in Albany this week.  
P. B. Marshall, of Albany was in Scio Friday last week.  
Dr. Hyde was at Albany a couple of days the first of the week.  
Frank Shelton and M. M. Miller were Albany visitors this week.  
Dr. Davis of Albany, was in Scio this week upon professional business.  
E. C. Phelps, of Albany, was over this week and visited at the home of THE NEWS.  
Miss Cora Shupe, of Albany, is visiting in Scio this week, the guest of Mrs. Geo. W. Phillips.  
Mrs. Maude Cole went to Portland Monday, where she purchased a line of spring and summer millinery.  
Miss Maude Bilyeu spent Easter with her parents in this city, and returned to Albany Monday evening.  
R. Custer, one of the rustling farmers of the Stayton neighborhood, passed through Scio one day last week. Mr. Custer is one of THE

**OF LOCAL INTEREST**

E. O. Hyde, M. D. Scio Ore.  
A. G. Prill, Physician and Surgeon Scio Oregon.  
Fruit trees are beginning to bloom and spring is now upon us.  
Notice the change in the ads of Britain Photo Co. and Cole & Wylie.  
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDonald, Tuesday, April 4, 1899.  
There are now 337 prisoners in the state penitentiary, eight of whom Linn county.

A series of protracted meetings are being held at the Baptist church in this city this week.  
Chas. Jeffrey is having a tussle with the asthma this week, but is now slightly improved.  
Wanted—All outstanding accounts due us settle by not later than March 10th. Peery & Peery.

Rev. Longbottom has been called as pastor of the C. P. church, at Albany, and has moved to that city.  
For sale or trade.—House and two lots in Shelburne. For particular enquire of S. M. Cooney, Fallman, Ore.

Dr. Lamberson, of Lebanon, has a contract with a London firm for 300 tons of chittim bark, to be furnished this season.  
The Lebanon Express-Advance this week appeared as a semi-weekly. It will hereafter be issued on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Miss Eva Myers and Miss Ollie Morris are the latest purchasers of bicycles this week. They both purchased from A. W. Hagey.  
White clover seed for sale by C. O. Mayer, one and three-fourths miles above Pritchard, by rail, on Hoarling river. Postoffice address, Jordan, Ore.

The school library has been moved from this shop to the Racket store. V. B. Goin having been elected clerk he has assumed charge of the library.  
T. S. Coffey is selling all kinds of harness these times. Hardly a day passes but some one drives up to his harness emporium to have their team fit out with new logs.

D. E. Berdan, who has charge of E. H. Rhoads' mill, has a good crop, and says a large number of his trees are killed.—Jefferson Review.  
Rev. C. C. Sperry, of Brownsville, will hold services at the Baptist church in this city on the fifth Sunday in this month, morning and evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

I have 50 acres of good heavy timber one and one half miles southeast of Scio, which I will sell or contract with some sawmill men to cut on the shares. Address S. E. Zysset, Scio Ore.  
Notice the change in T. J. Claxton's adv. in this issue. Mr. Claxton has had a number of years experience in contracting and building and can be relied upon to do strictly first class work.

Scio's small boys had just as big a time on Easter as anyone else. They had been storing away eggs for the past month, and they were brought forth in large quantities on Sunday and cooked in almost any old way.  
J. N. Morris shipped a carload of hogs to the Portland market Tuesday. They were about 200 fine porkers in the car, and Jim paid the top price for them, distributing quite a sum of money among our farmers.

This week R. Shelton received from Portland a carload of flax which will be used to seed several hundred acres of flax for the Portland Linn county. Our people have contracted to sow about 2500 acres of flax the coming season.  
The postoffice was moved into the hardware store on Sunday last, and W. F. Gill was installed postmaster. Miss May Gill will be retained as deputy until Miss Grace Gill returns from Monmouth, where she is attending the State Normal.

The Journal says the state push do not have attorney General Blackburn well in hand. That is good. Here is another. Attorney General Blackburn may be a little raw yet but his opinion seems to be fired regardless of who sits at the bull's eye.  
We present a number of new ads this week which we ask our readers to kindly look over. They are those of Ross E. Hibler, Mrs. Mary C. Smith, the Britain Photo Co. and Cole & Wylie, all of this city, and W. B. Stevens & Co. of Albany.

Dr. William A. Cusick, one of the best known physicians of Salem, and a pioneer of Oregon, has been appointed physician at the penitentiary by Superintendent Lee. He succeeds Dr. E. B. Philbrook, of Salem, who has filled the position for four years.  
Cascade Camp, Modern Woodman of this city, will give a ball about the first of May. Invitations for which will be sent out in a short time. It is going to be an invitation affair, and no pains will be spared to make it one of the finest social events of the season.

We are in receipt of a copy of the fifth biennial report of the Oregon State Board of Horticulture. It is a volume of 573 pages aside from the index, and has quite a number of full page half tone engravings. Our thanks are due the board for their kind remembrance.  
V. B. Goin has purchased a brand new "bike" and has been taking lessons on the "critter." He has just about got it tamed down so that it stands alone, and as soon as the roads get a little freer from mud he may be seen scorching down the street about three times a day.

The following are the officers of the new Modern Woodman camp at Crabtree: H. A. Hecker, V. C. E. E. Cornett, W. A.; Jno. M. Kutice, clerk; also marshal, banker; Lon Russell, escort; L. A. Tucker, watchman; Wm. Gearhart, sentry. A. G. Prill, of this city, was elected one of the physicians.  
We are going to keep hammering away about the amount of rubbish there is scattered about this town of ours until it is cleared up. There has been a good deal of clearing up

done by our citizens, but there is a great deal more to be done, and the health and prosperity of the city depends upon its being done.

The Albany Farmer's Co., which purchased the warehouse at Tallman some weeks ago, are now building a twenty foot addition to the house, making two more large bins. The house was found to be too small for the grain which is raised in that locality.

Miss Maude Cyrus who has been ill for several weeks past, is not improving, and her case has become a serious one. On Wednesday of this week Dr. Hyde, the attending physician, called Dr. Davis, of Albany as counsel with him on the case. Her many friends are anxiously hoping for her speedy recovery.

Joseph Wesley is the champion among the bowlers in this city, he having made a score of 83 pins last Monday evening. He made ten straight strikes and then the last second ball in the last frame and made two pins on the third ball. Had he struck out in the last frame he would have made the full limit of 90 pins in the ten frames.

The Oregon Telephone company installed their instrument in this city on November 25, 1898, since which date the receipts have amounted to \$135.45, and we doubt if there is a town in the valley anywhere near the population of Scio which can show as good a record. This is a fair showing of the business done in this city, and proves that it is one of the best business points in the valley.

There was to have been a horse race in this city last Saturday, but it failed to materialize, owing to the fact that one of the horses failed to show up. The race was made between one of the Richardson horses and a horse from Marion county, but the Marion county horse did not put in an appearance. It was to have been a quarter dash, and was scheduled to come off at 2 o'clock, p. m. on the race near West Scio.

Spring is upon us and summer is coming, and with it we must make some plans for better roads in the future. There is no excuse for the condition of our roads, and they should be improved in such a manner that the improvement will be lasting. Supervisor T. J. Munkers will have charge of the road work the coming season, and we trust that all will lend him a hand and help build good roads in this district. There is nothing that will help the prosperity of a town so much as good roads, and we hope that next winter the roads in this district will be in a better condition than they have been during the past winter.

Mrs. Wm. McDonald, who lives a few miles east of Scio, has a band of geese, and last week she noticed that they were being previously torn up by some sort of animal. She commenced to look into the matter a little, so she sent for Norman Long and his pack of coon dogs, and they were not "long" in finding a good sized coon which had arrived and was making preparations to have goose for supper. Norman took a shot at his coonship, and when he had been "done up" according to best methods it was found that the coon had a strap around his neck. If anyone in the neighborhood has lost a pet coon they had better call around and settle the damages done to the geese and perhaps she will give them the coon skin.

A new time card will go into effect on the main line of the S. P. next Sunday, which will effect the overland train more than any other. This train will leave Portland an hour later and arrive an hour earlier and a dining car will be put on. There is also talk of a local train from Albany to Portland. There may be a change made on this branch of the road also, which will give the people a train service a little better than now. If a train was run so that people from our section could get to Albany in the morning and back at night it would be a great help to all, as under the present train service one has to stay two nights in Albany in order to transact business at the court house, and for this reason many drive to Albany instead of going on the train.

Notes from Spicer.  
From our regular correspondents.  
Our orthopedic surgeon supports a new bike these days.  
Mrs. Milligan spent several days in Albany the first of the week.  
Dallas Faulkner is now doing the farming act. He is at work for Paul Buchner.

O. L. Baltimore and Frances Davis loaded several cars of wheat from the warehouse the first of the week.  
E. Koebler disposed of his fine young horse Saturday, the sheriff of Multnomah county being the purchaser.

Several boys, who had been indulging to freely in "scum ket-hup," disturbed the peace and quiet of our little burg one evening recently. The parents of such buds would do well to take a great benefit by keeping them at home or send them to the reform school.

Alex Montgomery has moved his family into part of the Dilly building on Main street.

**A Small Blaze.**

Wm. Brenner's barn which stood on the bank of Thomas creek, just back of T. S. Coffey's harness shop, was destroyed by fire Monday morning about 2 o'clock.  
When the fire was first discovered the entire barn was in flames, and as there was no hydrant near enough to enable the fire company to do any work the hose cart was not taken out.

There was nothing of value in the barn with the exception of a small quantity of hay, and a couple of wagon. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$300, and is fully covered by insurance.  
A light rain was falling which prevented the fire starting in other places from sparks, and there were no buildings near the barn.

Just how the fire started is a mystery. Mr. Brenner was away from home Sunday, and had not been in the barn for a couple of days previous, and unless the fire was started by a tramp it is a difficult problem to solve.

**Free.**

A Photo Button free at Britain Photo Co's place this week.

Building up a good trade—the Salem Steam Laundry is building up a good trade here in Scio. They do first class work, and their charges are small therefore the Scio people are taking advantage of it. Laundry sent every Monday morning from the Express Office.

Call at the Racket and get prices; we will save you money on all lines carried by us.  
Don't Tobacco Spit—make Your Life Away.  
To quit tobacco easily and forever, to regain strength, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No. 70, the wonder medicine, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, or Dr. C. C. Co. guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

**EXECUTORS NOTICE.**

To whom it may concern:  
NOTICE is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that at the hour of one o'clock p. m. on Saturday the 4th day of May, 1899, in pursuance of an Order and license of sale of the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, duly made and entered of record in and by said Court on the 10th day of August, 1898, in the Matter of the Estate of Otto Serfling, deceased, I, the undersigned duly appointed, qualified and acting executor of the last will and estate of said decedent, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, in Albany, Linn County, Oregon, for CASH IN HAND  
all the right, title, interest and estate of the said decedent, Otto Serfling, deceased, had in and to the following described premises, at the time of his death, to-wit:  
Beginning at the southeast corner of Richard H. Pollard and Matilda Ann Pollard's (his wife) Donation land claim, thence due north 40 chains (one half mile); thence due west 40 chains (one half mile); thence due south 40 chains (one half mile); thence due east to chain (one half mile) embracing and containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres as described in Richard H. Pollard and Matilda Ann Pollard's donation land claim, certificate No. 2188, No. 1038, the same lying and being situate in Linn County, Oregon.  
Also the following described premises, to-wit: Lots Nos. three (3) four (4) and five (5) of section 26 Township 10 south Range 2 west Willamette Meridian containing 39.72 acres of school land situate in Linn County, Oregon, containing in all 199.72 acres.  
Also the following described premises, to-wit: The Northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-six (36) in Township ten south Range two west of the Willamette Meridian containing 40 acres situate in Linn County, Oregon.  
Also beginning at the southwest corner of R. H. Pollard's donation land claim, Not. No. 1896 and claim No. 58 in T. 10 S. R. 2 W. of the Willamette Meridian and running thence east twenty nine chains and thirty-four links; thence north thirty-one chains and eighty five links; thence west to the west line of said donation land claim; thence south ten degrees east to the place of beginning, containing 1.25 acres more or less, all situate in Linn County, Oregon.  
The interest and estate which said Otto Serfling deceased had in and to all of said lands at the time of his death, being a fee simple estate therein.  
Dated this 6th day of April, 1899,  
JACKSON A. BILYEU,  
Executor.

**New Goods...**  
**New Goods**  
**Dry Goods, Fine Calicos, Precalces and Dimities...**  
**All Lines filled Up with New Goods!**  
**ROSS E. HIBLER**

A special election was held in Woodburn last week, at which it was voted to license saloons. Woodburn has been without saloons for a long time, and the voters decided that it was to the interest of the town to have a saloon. At Brownsville an election was held Monday, and the anti-saloon ticket was elected by a majority of 22 votes. Thus while one town votes to have saloons another decides against them.

**NERVITA** restores VITALITY, LOST VIGOR, AND MANHOOD  
Cures Impotency, Night Emissions and wasting diseases, all effects of self-abuse, or excess and indiscretion. A nerve tonic and blood builder. Brings the pink glow to pale cheeks and restores the fire of youth.  
By mail 50c per box; 6 boxes for \$2.50; with a written guarantee to cure or refund the money.  
**NERVITA MEDICAL CO.**  
Clinton & Jackson Sts., CHICAGO, ILL.  
For sale by Peery & Peery, Scio Or.

**The New Store Is Now Open!**  
The brightest, lightest room in the Willamette valley....  
We visit the New York market twice a year and buy for three large stores. When in Albany we ask you to visit us and look through our stock. New prices and new ideas.  
Yours,  
**W. B. Stevens & Co.**

**MILLINERY... AT A DISCOUNT**  
I get my Millinery at a discount by paying cash, and will give all my customers a discount of 10 per cent, payable in in goods, during April.....  
... MRS. MARY E. SMITH

**Commencing... Saturday Morning**  
We will give away a Photo Button FREE! with every dozen pictures—big and little. No, they ain't "gaudy stuff," they are mounted on celluloid and are first-class in every respect...  
**BRITAIN PHOTO CO. SCIO, ORE.**

**ON OUR... OPENING DAYS!**  
**April 13, 14 and 15,**  
We will have some nice Hats to show you....  
Respectfully,  
**COLE & WYLIE**

**CLOSING OUT SALE!**  
Having purchased a stock of goods at Monmouth it is my intention to take possession of same on April 1st, and I will, in order to close out my goods here, offer my entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Furnishing Goods and Notions at.....  
**Actual Cost...**  
For Cash or Produce.....  
My cost mark is:  
**V Y X N O I T C E S**  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0  
Come early and make your selections before the best goods are gone. I expect to keep up my stock of groceries and staples in dry goods and these will be sold at regular prices until remainder of stock is closed out. Sale begins Monday, January 30, 1899.....  
**S. M. DANIEL** SCIO, OREGON